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SUMMARY.

The "Times" referring to the capture of Liao-yang, comments upon the courage and tenacity shown by the Russian rear-guard in its defence up to Sunday.

This article, it states, enabled General Karoputkin's force to cross the Tai-tai River. The Russian army has thus escaped for the present the great peril for it by the Japanese, says the "Times."

The "Times" surmises that General Karoputkin's force, having been fighting continuously since August 23, were not from enough to absolutely intercept the return of the "Times" says, was undoubtedly strongly entrenched at Liao-yang, deliberately gave battle, and was decisively beaten.

General Karoputkin's right wing is now near Yen-tai, 15 miles north-east of Liao-yang. Meanwhile Field-Marshal Nodun is pressing the Russians from the north.

The correspondent of the "Standard" at the front says that the bulk of General Karoputkin's force will possibly escape to the north. During the week, the Japanese captured at the point of the bayonet a strongly fortified position on the westward of the Tai-tai River.

Russian papers, as published horrible details of the needless suffering in Manchuria of the sick and wounded.

Russian correspondents state that the fighting on Friday around Liao-yang began simultaneously on both banks of the Tai-tai River.

The Japanese in supporting the advance towards the Yen-tai river.

Twelve Russian battalions, numbers advanced against the attack all day, but were ultimately compelled to yield ground and proceed westward.

General Karoputkin's force, which was almost entirely covered by growing mist, greatly impeding the movements of the Russians.

The retreat of General Orlov was largely due to the fire with which he was assailed from the front.

His losses were considerable. General Karoputkin reports one regiment alone losing 100 killed and wounded.

It is reported that the evacuation of Liao-yang has greatly assisted the confidence of the Russian Government in General Karoputkin.

Military authorities, however, at the capital consider that he did his utmost in the circumstances.

The fortifications of Mukden, it is reported, cannot be compared with those at Liao-yang. It is, therefore, unlikely that Mukden will be seriously defended.

The cannonade of the Russian positions at Port Arthur by the Japanese, which has been going on since the 13th, has been slightly weakened near the mouth of Port Arthur.

The main batteries of New York have voted for the cessation of the strikes against the Best Trust.

The report of a revolver used in shooting a horse at a cavalry camp in England caused a stampede among 600 horses.

They rushed a barbed-wire enclosure, and caused other horses to stampede.

Seventy of them traversed Winchester, and 30 plunged into the sea, some being drowned.

Twenty were killed, and there are 200 still missing.

The treaty Great Britain is seeking to conclude with Tibet proposes to establish a trade mark beyond a certain number of miles from the frontier.

Seven persons were killed and 25 injured when a passenger train at St. Louis, United States, dashing into a trolley car at a street crossing.

W. G. Willoughby, of Victoria, won the Governor-General's prize at the meeting of the Commonwealth Association at Adelaide.

Private Ching, of Nelson, New Zealand, won the second prize.

Mr. G. H. Reid, the Prime Minister, stated yesterday that he was going to persevere on the lines of democratic progress, which he had followed all his life.

"I am not a democrat," he says, "in the sense of the preservation of the liberties of the individual, consistent with the best use of the powers of the state for the benefit of the people."

Albert Egan, aged 16 years, was seriously injured at Wagon yesterday by being caught in a machinery.

The British footballers were given a good send-off yesterday, on leaving by the steamer "Athens."

Mr. J. P. Wright has been nominated to act as umpire for the arbitration in the Arbitration Court during Mr. Cretchfield's absence.

The Railway Commissioners state that the R. & N. train that distinguished visitors has been brought down to very small dimensions.

The Minister for Defence is arranging to increase the garrison at Thursday Island by about half its present strength, bringing it up to 50 men.

By means of concrete dams the Harbour Trust at Newcastle has been enabled to make the wharves in the harbour safe.

His Excellency Sir Harry Hurrell has received the most interesting of pictures at the Royal Art Society galleries yesterday.

George Patterson attempted to shoot a bullet at Wallace, Victoria, Australia, on Sunday night, and afterwards admitted to shoot himself.

Mr. Edwin J. Green, a middle-aged man, while riding a bicycle in Brisbane yesterday, was run over by a bus and severely injured.

Mr. Carruthers, the Premier, spoke at Rockdale Hall last night. He was expected to propose a policy which would bring to a close the Liberal Government.

Mr. Carruthers said, however, that he was asked to say whether it approved of the Liberal site for the Federal capital.

The Government has been strongly opposed to the proposal of the Federal Government to take 900 square miles of territory.

Chas. settlement and a State bank, the Premier would not be features in the Government programme.

The electoral law would be amended in order to do away with the necessity of voters seeking re-election on accepting portfolios.

An endeavour would also be made to amend the Act, and to secure majority rule by providing for the introduction of contingent voting.

The Premier intimated that at the expiration of Sir Harry Hurrell's term of office a Liberal Government would be appointed at a reduced salary.

Edward Melloy, a storeman at the Wallaroo Mine, South Australia, was killed yesterday morning by an explosion.

A store was damaged, and Frank Nankers, a laborer, who left the building a few moments before the explosion occurred, was injured.

Joseph Duff, a plasterer, 37 years of age, living at Glenferrie, Victoria, had been severely injured by a fall from a house, which he was climbing in front of a train. One of his legs was cut off, and his head was injured.

The "Sydney Society" festival was celebrated last night at St. Andrew's Cathedral, and was largely attended.

The Queensland Commissioner for Railways has been asked to take the New South Wales line to the Exchange, yesterday, with very little attention in price.

What was slightly water yesterday, being quoted at 3s 1d in Sydney.

There were practically no changes in prices for the import market yesterday, and business was quiet.

The Mining market yesterday was active. The main market was generally on the upward grade. Silver shares had considerable action.

SPRING FASHIONS.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

NOVELTIES FOR THE RACES.

GRAND DISPLAY OF PARIS MODELS.

EXQUISITE PRODUCTIONS.

MARESCOT MODELS.

CHARLOTTE.

MADAME FURLEY.

S. SUZANNE.

SUZANNE BLUM.

AND OTHER EMINENT ARTISTES.

TO-DAY AND DURING THE REMAINDER OF THE WEEK.

PARIS MODEL HATS.

PARIS MODEL TOQUES.

PARIS MODEL BONNETS.

LADIES' OUTFITTERS.

FOR THE RACES.

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DAINTY MODELS IN SILK UNDERWEAR.

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF Ladies' White Muslin.

A CHARMING VARIETY IN NEW Gowns of the latest mode.

FARMER AND COMPANY.

LIMITED.

VICTORIA HOUSE.

STREET.

ANDERSON'S SEPTEMBER CALENDAR.

FOR THE FARM.

THINK OF IT--

BACCHUS OF A BUNCH.

TO EUROPE, VIA SINGAPORE.

TO MANILA, CHINA, AND JAPAN.

THE CONDITION.

BRITISH BEER.

MAYMAN'S HOTEL.

IS UNPARALLELED.

COFFEE MAKING EXPLAINED.

GRIFFITHS BROS.

WINDOW THIS WEEK.

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NEWCASTLE

SHIPPING.

LUND'S BLUE ANCHOR LINE.
Commonwealth leave Adelaide to-day for London. The Blue Anchor port liner, the *Edinburgh*, arriving at London from Australia on the 10th ult.

Fakool is due at Capetown on the 20th instant, being engaged at Natal on the 20th ultimo from Sydney to London, where she is due 21st instant.

Willemina arrived at Adelaide from London on the 10th instant. She is due at Sydney on the 10th instant.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.
FRIDAY ISLAND (2000 miles).—Arr: *Sgt. & Co.*, from Brisbane; *Australian*, 5, from Sydney.

NEWCASTLE (1175 miles).—Dep: *Sgt. & Co.*, Empire, 10.

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THROWN FROM A CART.

ward Hughes, 22, a milkcarrier, was admitted to St. Vincent's hospital yesterday on account of the effects of a sprain wound, abrasion and shock. He was driving a cart in the morning when the horse bolted, and he was thrown from the vehicle. Hughes resides in Wyke-street, Waterloo.

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